

9 September 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Economic Research  
 THROUGH : Chief, Administrative Staff  
 THROUGH : Chief, Communist Research Area  
 FROM : Chief, USSR/Eastern Europe Division  
 SUBJECT : Request for Clearance to Attend Conference and  
 Present Paper

1. Clearance is requested to attend a conference on Soviet statistics to be held at [redacted] and to present the attached paper. This is an invitation conference, and no representatives of the press will be present. In all matters concerned with this conference I shall be identified as Visiting Professor of Economics [redacted]. All those who will attend the conference, however, are aware of my Agency affiliation. The papers presented at the conference will subsequently be published in book form.

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Attachment:  
 As stated above

I have reviewed the attached article entitled [redacted]

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prepared by [redacted]

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In my opinion, it does not contain classified or controlled information or information available only from such sources, and does not contain information available to the author due solely to his employment with the Agency. It does not reveal in any direct or indirect manner programs, sources, or methodologies unique or peculiar to intelligence production or operations. Identification of the author as a CIA employee should not adversely affect or reflect unfavorably on the Agency.

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 Chief, Communist Research Area